

IN THE
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Inventor(s): Curtis R. McALLISTER
Application No.: 10/685,416

Confirmation No.: 7865
Examiner: R. N. Phan

Filing Date: 10/16/2003

Group Art Unit: 2111

Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR DEADLOCK PREVENTION IN A DISTRIBUTED SHARED MEMORY SYSTEM (AS AMENDED HEREWITH)

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE/AMENDMENT

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is/are the following in the above-identified application:

- (X) Response/Amendment Petition to extend time to respond
() New fee as calculated below Supplemental Declaration
() No additional fee (Address envelope to "Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment")
(X) Other: TERMINAL DISCLAIMER w/\$110.00 fee (fee \$)

CLAIMS AS AMENDED BY OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY						
(1) 08/27/2004 CBA/NES FOR 00001	(2) 10/685,416 CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADDITIONAL FEES
110.00	TOTAL CLAIMS	6	MINUS	20	= 0 X \$18	\$ 0
	INDEP. CLAIMS	2	MINUS	3	= 0 X \$86	\$ 0
[] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$290	\$ 0
EXTENSION FEE	1ST MONTH \$110.00	2ND MONTH \$420.00	3RD MONTH \$950.00	4TH MONTH \$1480.00		\$ 0
OTHER FEES						\$
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$ 0

Charge \$ 0 to Deposit Account 08-2025. At any time during the pendency of this application, please charge any fees required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 08-2025 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25. Additionally please charge any fees to Deposit Account 08-2025 under 37 CFR 1.16 through 1.21 inclusive, and any other sections in Title 37 of the Code of Federal Regulations that may regulate fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Date of Deposit:

Typed Name:

Signature: _____

Respectfully submitted,

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Date: August 18, 2004